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Wetlands Programs and Partnerships (NRCS/Jan. 1996)

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Available from:

The Council of State Governments (606-244-8000)

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Save Our Streams Program, Izaak Walton League of America (800-284-4952)

Know Your Watershed newsletter

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Conservation Technology Information Center (765-494-9555)

Web Sites of Interest

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Society of Wetland Scientists Homepage: Provides membership, journal, regional, meetings, jobs, forum links. http://www.sws.org/meetings.html

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U.S. Army Corps of Engineers Hydraulics Laboratory http://hlnet.wes.army.mil/

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U.S. Army Corps of Engineers, Sacramento District Regulatory Homepage http://usace.mil

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- U.S. Environmental Protection Agency, Region 9 Homepage http://www.epa.gov/region9/region9.html
- U.S. Environmental Protection Agency Wetlands, Oceans, and Watersheds On-line: Browse through EPA newsletters, fact sheets, brochures, publications, regulations, press releases, and Congressional testimony; order EPA publications on-line; request STORET water quality data; join in a nonpoint source discussion group; visit Know Your Watershed and Surf Your Watershed; and more.

http://www.epa.gov/owow/

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- http://www.epa.gov/OWOW/info/PubList/publist1.html
- U.S. Environmental Protection Agency's Office of Wetlands, Oceans and Watershed Partners: Links to many state/tribes/local, agricultural, federal, and environmental sites. http://www.epa.gov/OWOW/home/partners.html

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U.S. Geological Survey - List of Publications http://pubs.usgs.gov/publications/index.html

U.S. Geological Survey - National Wetlands Research Center http://www.nwrc.gov/

U.S. House of Representatives Internet Law Library Homepage http://law.house.gov/1.htm

U.S. House of Representatives Internet Law Library - Environmental, Natural Resource, and Energy Law http://law.house.gov/101.htm

U.S. House of Representatives Internet Law Library - Law School Law Library Catalogues and Services http://law.house.gov/114.htm



U.S. House of Representatives Internet Law Library - U.S. Code (searchable) http://law.house.gov/usc.htm

U.S. House of Representatives Internet Law Library - Code of Federal Regulations (searchable) http://law.house.gov/cfr.htm

U.S. House of Representatives Internet Law Library - Federal Register http://law.house.gov/7.htm

U.S. House of Representatives - 105th congress, 1st Session Homepage http://www.house.gov/

University of Maryland Center for Environmental Science Homepage http://www.co.cees.edu/

Wetland Ecosystem Team - University of Washington Homepage http://www.fish.washington.edu/people/asif/WET.html

WetLinks - Wetland Hot Links http://kh465a.ag.ohio-state.edu/wetlinks.html

WetNet-TexasWetland Information Network Homepage - Developed by the Texas General Land Office http://www.glo.state.tx.us/wetnet/

WETNET: The Wetlands Network Homepage http://www.wetlands.ca/

Environmental Law Institute - 20 year cumulative index to the National Wetlands Newsletter. http://www.eli.org/bookstore/nwnindex.htm

Indiana-Specific Web Sites of Interest

Mike Walters' wetland page contains links to sites related to Indiana wetlands and wetland projects and curriculum-related sites for kids.

http://home.infospace.com/mikew5

Indiana Department of Environmental Management's home page has general, wetland-related information and links to other wetland sites.

http://www.ai.org/idem

Indiana Department of Natural Resources' home page. The *Indiana Wetlands Conservation Plan* is posted.here. http://www.state.in.us/dnr/fishwild/inwetcon

Indiana Wetland Educational Resources

Wetlands Curriculum

A wetlands integrated environmental curriculum was created by the U.S. Fish & Wildlife Service, the Indianapolis Zoo, and the Sierra Club Wetlands Project. The curriculum contains hands-on activities and is designed for K-12. It explores the biology of wetlands and wetland issues. The curriculum is available by attending a workshop on the program. For current workshop listings, contact Barb Hosler, 812-334-4261, ext. 209.

Wetland Videos

The videos listed below are available for loan through the Natural Resources Education Center Video Library. Contact the Project WILD program at 317-549-0348 or the Go FishIN program at 317-549-0206.

Fabulous Wetlands	12 min.		
The Wealth in Wetlands	23 min.		
Aquatic Exotics			
The Value of our Hoosier Wetlands	12.5 min.		
Wetlands: Lemons or Lemonade?	14.5 min, Purdue		
Do Your Part	19.5 min., U.S. Dept. of the Interior		
Water Bugs	18.5 min.		
Wastewater, an Environmental Resource	10 min.		
Investigating Vernal Pools	10 min.		
Wetlands IN Endangered Resource	13 min.		

Project WILD Curriculum

Project WILD is a supplementary environmental/conservation education program emphasizing wildlife. The program's innovative, hands-on activities are designed for students in kindergarten through grade 12. The Project WILD Aquatic guide contains numerous activities dealing with wetlands. The curriculum is available by attending a Project WILD workshop. For current workshop listings, contact Warren Gartner, Natural Resources Education Center, Fort Harrison State Park, 5785 Glenn Road, Indianapolis, IN 46216-1066, phone: 317-549-0348, e-mail: indianaprojectwild@ameritech.net.

Project WET Curriculum

Project WET is an international, interdisciplinary, water science and education program from formal and non-formal educators of K-12 students. A supplemental guide, Wonders of Wetlands, is also available. This curriculum is available by attending a Project WET workshop. For current workshop listings, contact Susan Schultz, Natural Resources Education Center, Fort Harrison State Park, 5785 Glenn Road, Indianapolis, IN 46216-1066, phone: 317-562-0788, e-mail: indianaprojectwet@ameritech.net.



WETLAND OUTREACH MATERIALS AVAILABLE FROM MUSCATATUCK NATIONAL WILDLIFE REFUGE

Handouts (partial listing of possible interest to teachers) Wetlands Posters-elem. and middle school Wetlands Regulations and You Bottomland Timber Establishment on Wetlands Restoring Wetlands For Wildlife in Indiana Animal Superheros (shorebirds)

Videos

Muscatatuck National Wildlife Refuge (late elementary up) Fabulous Wetlands (late elementary up) Wetland, Lemons or Lemonaide (middle school up) Do Your Part (wetlands activities for kids; late elementary up) Restoring Wetlands on Your Property (adults) The Value of Our Hoosier Wetlands (middle school up) Waterfowl for the Future (high school up) Trumpeter Swans Arrive in Indiana (mostly silent)

Slide/Tape Programs

National Wildlife Federation Programs: Lands Where Wildlife and People Meet (middle school up) Discover Wildlife in Your World (elementary up) Water, We Can't Live Without It (elementary up) Where The Fish Will Be (middle school up)

Movies- 16 mm

So Little Time (on waterfowl conservation; late elementary up) Triumph of the Wood Duck (late elementary up) Wildlife, Wetlands, and You- The Duck Stamp Story (late elementary up) The National Wildlife Refuge System (late elementary up) Americas Wetlands (middle school up)

Other

Wetlands Trunk (activities for all grades) Project WILD Guides (wildlife activities for all ages)

To obtain materials, contact:

Donna Stanley, Muscatatuck National Wildlife Refuge (812-522-4352)